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The German Expectation.

The Salt Lake Tribune prints it in this wise: It is rather cool to read that the Berlin Tageblatt considers President Harrison's inaugural "shows an arrogant spirit and does not display particularly friendly feelings towards other powers." Singularly enough, this is precisely the complaint Americans have to make concerning Germany's course in Samoa. That course has been arrogance exemplified perfectly in act, and has displayed an utter contempt for American rights and interests in those islands. To have this same complaint come now from Germany towards the declaration of an American President exhibits an unconscious irony that shows how utterly selfish and sodden the ruling spirit in Germany is when its interest or desire clash with the rights of others. No less remarkable is that other Berlin journal's expression—the Vossische Zeitung—where it suggests that Germans have been hoping for a more yielding spirit towards Germany's pretensions from the Harrison Administration than they have had from Cleveland's. On what ground even the wildest egotist could hope for greater complacency toward German aggression in this business than Secretary Bayard has shown it would be hard to imagine. The exact contrary is the hope that has been animating the American breast; we have been longing for the day when Mr. Bayard should retire and give place to a man who would not suffer the American name and prestige to be dragged in the dust and made the scoff and contempt of Germany or any other nation's reckless and bullying jingoism. That further concessions should have been exacted in Germany from the United States shows either that a ridiculous bluff is undertaken, or else the existence of a depth of intensity of self-love and vanity which is all but incomprehensible. It also shows to what degradation the American fame has been allowed to drop during four years of contemptible mismanagement of our foreign affairs. Enough Americans were disgusted with it to account for the change in administration, and they want that change to be given effect just there; further, they haven't a doubt that right in that spot the change will be the most immediate and the most abrupt.

ASSEMBLY Bill No. 38, to prevent trespass upon real estate by live stock, which passed the Legislature and now awaits the signature of the Governor to become a law, strikes us as a bad bill; it certainly will cripple the sheep industry in this State to a very great extent, for it is clearly class legislation, and will be very apt to cut off the revenue from the State at a time when we can ill afford to spare it. While it will keep sheep off from another man's land it makes no provision whatever for keeping other kinds of stock off the sheep man's possessions. While it is true that cattle and horses do not destroy the feed that sheep do, and are licensed to roam at large while sheep are constantly under hand, it seems but just that the same protection should be accorded to the sheep man that is granted to men engaged in raising cattle or horses.

THE Governor's special message to the Assembly, on that body's failure to consider the revenue bill that passed the Senate, is published in another column. While we doubt the prerogative of the Governor to take to task a body of men chosen by the people to represent them in the Legislature, we cannot but admire his pluck. The revenue bill was very carefully considered by a joint committee and acted upon by the Senate, which body it passed without a dissenting vote, and then for the Assembly to ignore it completely, not even reading the bill, shows that body to be at least very discourteous to the Senate. The bill was a good one and should have passed, but its length prevented the Assembly from giving the subject that consideration which it demanded. After idling away nearly sixty days, the least the Assembly could have done would have been to listen to its reading.

LATEST FROM SAMOA.

A German Air Hissed by a Theater Audience.

FRENCH MONETARY MATTERS.

Trouble Between the Union and Northern Pacific.

DEATH OF A CONGRESSMAN.

What Powderly Says of a London "Times" Witness.

ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.

Exciting Rumors.

Want Their Money.

PARIS, March 9.—12 M.—Crowds of depositors surround the offices of the Comptoir d'Escompte, awaiting the opportunity to withdraw their funds.

The official journal publishes a decree authorizing the return of Duke d'Aumale to France.

3:30 P.M.—A panicky feeling prevails on the Bourse. Comptoir d'Escompte shares are 350 francs, Societe des Metaux 100, and Rio Tintos 335.

3:30 P.M.—Prices on the Bourse are rallying. Comptoir d'Escompte shares are now 400 francs, Societe des Metaux 120 and Rio Tintos 350. There have been enormous sales of Comptoir d'Es-

compte's steamers has been seized near Samoa by a German gunboat. The latest press advices fail to confirm the sinking of the Nipic. Any late news will be bulletined to 6 P.M.

Another of the "Times" Witnesses.

SCRANTON, Penn., March 9.—Powderly's attention was called to a cablegram, saying LeCaron had denied the authenticity of a letter to Powderly proposing to blow up the bridges and culverts on the Missouri Pacific during the strike. Powderly showed a copy of the original letter, dated April 3d, 1886, and it has all the marks of genuineness. LeCaron was an unknown man then, and it is not probable that anyone would forge his letter. Powderly continued: "Since this letter of LeCaron's was first published, I have received communications from men along the line of the Missouri Pacific who say they believe they can furnish evidence that will bring LeCaron back to America in hand cuffs." Powderly intimated that evidence will soon be at hand which will prove that LeCaron's secret record is stained by a much greater crime than that of being a spy, and in all probability, a perjurer.

A Cabinet Meeting.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—There were not so many people at the White House this morning, but the politicians turned out in full force, and were received in the President's office, and occupied his attention from 9:30 to 12:30, when the President excused himself for the purpose of consulting with the Cabinet on matters requiring prompt attention. The session lasted two hours. All members were present. Among those who saw the president during the forenoon, were Senator Dolph and Delegate Dubois with an Idaho delegation.

Whaler's Refuge.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—The New England whalers are urging the speedy establishment of the proposed home of refuge at Point Barrow, Alaska. The building projected is under the direction of the Revenue Marine Service, and probably Captain White, now on detached service at Oakland, Cal., will be detailed to do the work, with the advice of Captain Healy of the steamer Bear. The amount appropriated for the building is \$15,000, which will be devoted to the structure, provisions and fuel, which will be sent from San Francisco.

A Theatre Rumpus.

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 9.—The Samoan row played a conspicuous part in the performance in the Academy of Music last night. At one period of the performance was a song of all nations, the singer waving appropriate flags. The national airs of Ireland, England, France and Italy were sung amid applause, but when the German flag was brought out and the singing of "Die Wacht den Rhein," there began loud hissing and a general tumult, which resulted in a fight and the arrest of two persons in the audience.

A Buff Game.

HELENA, Mont., March 9.—The display of force made by the Union Pacific Company in Boulder Canon, the Company having over 500 men on the ground, armed with winchesters, has had the effect of bluffing the Northern Pacific, which yesterday left the Union Pacific in control of the pass.

Heavy Floods in England.

London, March 9.—Floods prevail in Western England. Railway traffic is interrupted, and passengers on some trains are compelled to sleep in the cars. Taunton is completely isolated. The water is slowly subsiding. The floods are the greatest during the present generation.

Business Failure.

LOUISVILLE, March 9.—John L. Macaulay, owner of the Macaulay Theater, has made a dead trust of all his property for the benefit of his creditors. It is believed all his debts will be paid in full.

Nothing From Samoa.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—There is still a dearth of news from Samoa, in the State and Navy Departments.

WASHINGTON, March 9.—In the State Department, the fact that they have not been officially advised of the blowing up of the Nipic, is regarded as evidence that no such a thing has happened. They have not telegraphed the acting consul, for a reason, as it is not to be supposed that he has neglected his duty and failed to give information of an event of such importance.

In answer to the suggestion that Germans would control every avenue by which news could reach the United States, said that they could not prevent information from reaching England through some of the English vessels at Samoa; even supposing the reported engagement had been followed by a declaration of war, which might result in cutting off Consul Blacklock from the cable at Auckland. The naval officers here, without exception, also discredit the story, although they admit that the Nipic would have been over-matched by the Olga in a sea fight. They are inclined to accept the view taken by certain of the English papers, that the publication in the German newspapers was thrown out as a feaver to learn how an attempt to chastise Mataua's forces for the killing of German seamen would be received in Germany and America.

The School for Girls.

The following are the Roll of Honor and Merit of the School for Girls for the month ending March 6th, 1889. J. M. Rankin, Principal:

Academic Department.—Mattie Connor, 98.4; Jessie Williams, 98.33; Vesta Rice, 98.1; Emma Blancket, 98; Susie Shoemaker, 98; Clara Martin, 98; Mabel Godfrey, 97.92; Mary Lucas, 97.9; Helena Dawson, 97.72; Nina Moore, 97.72; Louisa Lewis, 97.45; Eugenie Hunt, 97.4; Edna Mason, 97.34; Maggie Mayberry, 97.22.

Roll of Merit.—Manie Rule, Maud Wells, Ruth Russell, Nettie Ashby, Oline Johnson, Ottie Longabaugh, Mary Hopkins, Charlotte Dorwin, Etta Sims, Ivy Evans, Lida Ferguson, Gertrude Hillman, Iva Rowland, Oella Sherman, Edna Bailey, May Wilson, Lillian Godfrey, Stella Prosser.

Roll of honor in music—Mina Atchison, Gertrude Shoemaker, Rachel Frederick, Mary Hopkins, Etta Sims, Maud Wells.

Narrowly Escaped Lynching.

MILWAUKEE, March 9.—There was a wild scene on Market Square this morning when the Chinamen Sam Yip Ge and Hal Ding were taken to jail from the Municipal Court, where they were to have been examined on the charge of enticing little girls into their dens for immoral purposes. A crowd of a thousand men made angry demonstrations, and only a heavy bodyguard saved them from lynching. Ten children were in Court ready to testify against them, but the case was continued, owing to failure to secure an interpreter.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

First National Bank

AT RENO, IN THE STATE OF NEVADA

at the close of business, February 18, 1889.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts \$393,445.72
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 3,043.94
U.S. Bonds to secure circulation 50,000.00
Other stocks, bonds and mortgages 38,084.26
Deposits, current and time 8,350.00
Due from other National Banks 10,487.15
Due from State Banks and bankers 303.78
Bank buildings, furniture and fixtures 37,327.90
Current expenses and taxes paid 3,860.00
Premium paid 3,860.00
Checks and other cash items 595.43
Bills of exchange, currency, notes and cents 210.00
Total \$598,804.75

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in \$300,000.00
Surplus fund 70,000.00
Undivided profits 9,189.83
National Bank notes outstanding 44,980.00
Dividends declared 10,000.00
Individual deposits subject to check 159,355.68
Demand certificates of deposit 44,497.17
Certificates of deposit 4,482.90
Due to other National Banks 3,216.80
Due to State Banks and bankers 27,042.20

Total \$598,804.75

OFFICERS.

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R. S. OSBORN, Assistant Cashier.

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